

REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
AND RECORD OF ACTION

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February 24, 2004

FROM: KEN A. MILLER, Director
Department of Public Works – **Transportation**

SUBJECT: **PROHIBIT “U-TURNING” MOVEMENT ON LAUREL AVENUE –
FONTANA AREA**

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt a resolution prohibiting “U-Turning” movements on Laurel Avenue, in the Fontana area.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Subsequent to a request from the Colton Joint Unified School District, the Department has conducted a traffic engineering investigation on Laurel Avenue, in the Fontana area. The School District indicated a desire to eliminate “U-Turning” movements in front of Bloomington High School, to avoid the present traffic congestion created by completing such a movement during school hours. The Department’s Traffic Division observed the impact of the “U-Turning” movements during school hours and concurs with the School District’s request. Therefore, in the interest of public safety and improved traffic circulation, the Department recommends prohibiting “U-Turning” movements on Laurel Avenue from Santa Ana Avenue north to a point 0.28 mile north of Santa Ana Avenue, per County Code Section 52.018(a)(1).

REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY OTHERS: This item was reviewed by Deputy County Counsel Charles S. Scolastico (387-5481) on February 4, 2004 and County Administrative Office (Tom Forster, Administrative Analyst, 387-4635) on February 11, 2004.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: There is a cost incurred of approximately \$500 to install the appropriate signs, as well as minor administrative costs to update Department records. Funds for this action are available in the Department’s 2003/04 Operations budget.

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT(S): 5th

PRESENTER: Ken A. Miller, 387-7906

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Approved By:

NORMAN A. KANOLD, Interim ACA
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